

RIDE CECE - Application Components and Methods of Application Assessment Guide for Programs

Applications for RIDE CECE approval will be assessed at several points in time using various components of the review process. Refer to the document RIDE CECE 2014 - 2015 Application and Review Process for a timeline and description of each step.

Step	Step components	Standards assessed					
DCYF/BEP Compliance (DB) Step 2	DCYF and RIDE BEP regulations	1.2 - 1.7; 1.9 - 1.16; 2.3 - 2.11; 3.1; 3.5, 3.7, 3.8, 4.1, 4.2, 5.2, 5.3, 5.7 - 5.11; 5.15, 5.17, 5.19 - 5.21					
Online Application (OA) Step 2	General program information, organizational chart, classroom map, classroom schedule, playground schedule, state inspections	1.1 1.5; 3.4 – 3.6; 3.8, 4.1 – 4.3; 5.2, 5.3; 6.10, 6.11, 6.22,					
Workforce Registry (WR) Step 2	Administrator, Education Coordinator, Teacher and Teacher Assistant credentials, IPDPs, PPDP	2.2, 3.5, 4.1 – 4.3, 4.5, 5.2, 5.3, 5.17, 5.18					
Facilities Visit (FV) Step 6	Various – see RIDE guidance document "What to expect from your RIDE Facilities Visit"	1.3, 1.5, 1.6, 1.7, 1.8, 1.11, 1.12, 1.13, 1.14, 1.15, 1.16, 2.7, 2.9, 2.10, 2.11, 3.4, 3.5, 3.6, 6.8, 6.10,					
Handbooks/ Narratives (HN) Step 8	Staff and family handbooks (required), policy & procedures documents (optional), program philosophy, curriculum framework, child assessment plan, family engagement plan, program professional development plan (may be part of WFR),	1.19, 1.10, 2.3 – 2.5; 2.9, 2.11, 3.1 – 3.3; 3.7, 4.1 – 4.4; 5.5, 5.7, 5.8, 5.10 – 5.13; 5.15, 5.16, 5.18 – 5.21; 6.1 – 6.7; 6.17, 6.18, 7.1 – 7.8; 8.1 – 8.8					
QIP Step 18		5.14					
ECERS Item (EI) Step 13	As applicable	1.5, 1.13 – 1.15; 2.8, 3.7, 6.8 – 6.11, 6.15, 6.21, 6.22, 7.13					
CLASS (CL) Step 14	As applicable	6.14 – 6.17; 7.12, 7.14					
Staff Interviews (SI) Step 15	Interviews with administrator, education coordinator and/or teacher	1.6, 1.8, 1.13 – 1.15; 2.6, 2.7, 3.6, 3.8, 5.4, 5.5, 5.14, 5.18, 6.11 – 6.21; 7.1 – 7.15; 8.1 – 8.15					
Onsite Document Review (ODR) Step 15	Child files, personnel files, classroom documents, program documents, child assessment data	1.1 – 4.4, 5.7, 5.10, 5.14 – 5.17; 5.19, 5.20, 6.10 – 6.16; 6.18, 6.20, 6.22, 6.23; 7.9 – 7.15; 8.10 – 8.15					
ECERS overall classroom score	Score of 5.0 or higher: Required for full approval; Score of 4.5 – 4.99: Score will be assessed alongside other elements of the Application and approval process; at the discretion of the Commissioner, and pending an approved Quality Improvement Plan, the classroom may receive provisional approval; Score below 4.5: Classroom will not be approved						

Steps in the review process used to assess compliance with individual standards

Key to Steps: Facilities Visit (FV); DCYF/BEP (DB); Online Application (OA); Workforce Registry (WR); Handbook or Narrative submission (HN); QIP; ECERS Item (EI); CLASS (CL); Staff Interviews (SI)

Standard One – Physical Facilities									
1.1		1.5	FV, DB, OA, EI	1.9	DB, HN	1.13	FB, DB, EI		
1.2	DB, OA	1.6	FV, DB, SI	1.10	DB, HN , ODR	1.14	FB, DB, EI		
1.3	FV, DB, OA	1.7	FV, DB	1.11	FV, DB	1.15	FB, DB, EI		
1.4	DB, OA, HN	1.8	FV, SI	1.12	FV, DB, SI	1.16	FV, DB		
Standard Two – Health, Safety and Nutrition									
2.1		2.4	DB, HN	2.7	FV, DB, SI	2.10	FV, DB		
2.2	WFR	2.5	DB, HN	2.8	DB, EI	2.11	FB, DB, HN		
2.3	DB, HN	2.6	DB, SI	2.9	FV, DB, HN				
Standard Three – Enrollment and Staffing									
3.1	DB, HN	3.3	HN	3.5	FV, DB, OA, WFR	3.7	DB, HN, EI		
3.2	HN	3.4	FV, OA	3.6	FV, OA, SI	3.8	DB, OA, SI		
Standard 4 – Staff Qualifications and Professional Development									
4.1	DB, OA, WFR, HN	4.3	OA, WFR, HN	4.5	WFR				
4.2	DB, OA, WFR, HN	4.4	HN, ODR						
Stand	Standard Five – Administration								
5.1		5.7	DB, HN, ODR	5.12	HN	5.17	DB, WFR, ODR		
5.2	DB, OA, WFR	5.8	DB, HN	5.13	HN	5.18	WR, HN, SI		
5.3	DB, OA, WFR	5.9	DB	5.14	QIP, SI, ODR	5.19	DB, HN, ODR		
5.4	SI	5.10	DB, HN, ODR	5.15	DB, HN, ODR	5.20	DB, HN, ODR		
5.5	HN, SI	5.11	DB, HN	5.16	HN, ODR	5.21	DB, HN		
5.6									
Standard Six – Curriculum									
6.1- 6.7	HN	6.12	SI, ODR	6.17	HN, CL	6.21	EI, SI		
6.8	FV, EIN	6.13	SI, ODR	6.18	HN, SI, ODR	6.22	OA, EI, SI, ODR		
6.9	EI	6.14	CL, SI, ODR	6.19	SI	6.23	ODR		
6.10	OA, EI, ODR	6.15	CL, EI, SI, ODR	6.20	SI, ODR				
6.11	OA, EI, SI, ODR	6.16	CL, SI, ODR						
Standard Seven – Child Assessment									
7.1-7.8	HN, SI	7.11	SI, ODR	7.13	EI, SI, ODR	7.15	SI, ODR		
7.9	SI, ODR	7.12	CL, SI, ODR	7.14	CL, SI, ODR				
7.10	SI, ODR								
Standard Eight – Family Engagement									
8.1-8.9	HN, SI	8.11	SI, ODR	8.13	SI, ODR	8.15	SI, ODR		
8.10	SI, ODR	8.12	SI, ODR	8.14	SI, ODR				